

SENATE BILL 3316

By Burks

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 4, to authorize the issuance of Mothers Against Methamphetamine (MAMA) new specialty earmarked license plates.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-4-202(c)(7), is amended by adding the following as a new, appropriately designated subdivision:

() Mothers Against Methamphetamine (MAMA);

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 4, Part 2, is amended by adding the following as a new, appropriately designated section:

(a) Owners or lessees of motor vehicles who are residents of the state of Tennessee, upon complying with state motor vehicle laws relating to registration and licensing of motor vehicles and paying the regular fee applicable to the motor vehicle and the fee provided for in § 55-4-203, shall be issued a Mothers Against Methamphetamine (MAMA) new specialty earmarked license plate for a motor vehicle authorized by § 55-4-210(c).

(b) The purpose of Mothers Against Methamphetamine (MAMA) new specialty earmarked license plates is to raise public awareness about the dangers inherent in methamphetamine use and available drug education and rehabilitation resources.

(c) The new specialty earmarked plates provided for in this section shall contain a suitable logo or design and shall include the phrase " Mothers Against Methamphetamine" or "MAMA," as appropriate. Such plates shall be designed in consultation with Mothers Against Methamphetamine (MAMA).

(d)) In accordance with the provisions of § 55-4-215, the funds produced from the sale of Mothers Against Methamphetamine (MAMA) new specialty earmarked

license plates shall be allocated to Mothers Against Methamphetamine (MAMA) to further the organization's mission and programs in Tennessee.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2008, the public welfare requiring it.